WILL BE PREPARED TO PUT UP THE FIGHT OF HIS LIFE.

Declares His Opinion in Regard to the Brutal Features of Pugilism, Saying That the Movement That is Trying to Stamp It Out All Over the Country is Purely Sentimental-Gossip of the Turf. Field and Ring.

MILWAUKER, Feb. 7 .- Peter Jackson the pugilist, in this city tonight, unburdened is mind on divers subjects. Jackson is not as heavy as he was a year ago, but he says he is in excellent condition and will be ready to meet Corbett in June.

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"I am feeling first rate," said Jackson, "and feel certain that when I enter the ring in June next I will be in condition to put up the fight of my life. I certainly think that I have a chance to win, else I would not have made the match. Where the battle will be fought I have not the slightest idea. It may be in this country or in England. I will close my season about the middle of March and at once go into active training. When I enter the ring I expect to be fit. The sentiment that is trying to stamp out pugitism in all parts of the country is, I think, purely sentimental. I do not believe that the sentiment is real or that it will prove lasting. The pugitism of today is not what sentiment is real or that it will prove lasting. The puglism of today is not what the pessimists say it is. The protests that have gone out against the sport are what you might call a fad. Everybody, especially those in authority, see fit at present to frown upon puglism. When I meet Corbett we will not fight with axes, but with the weapons that nature gave us. We will not fight viciously; the Queensbury rules governing the contest are adapted to modern sentiment. I hold that there is no harmful effect from a contest of the character. Fighters do contest are adapted to modern seatiment. I hold that there is no harmful effect from a contest of this character. Fighters do not sim to injure, but to stun. We hit our opponents on the point of the jaw, or the jugular, because a stiff blow landed on those points will produce temporary unconsciousness that will in no way injure the man who is struck. That is the way to win fights. Neither Sallivan nor Mitchell experienced any till effects from their knockout blows. Such blows will cover hurt a man who is in good health or in good physical condition. If the tranks who are raising such a howl could see a modern prize fight between two scientific men they would see the error of their ways at once and thereafter would not have anything to say against the sport. The same critics will go to wrestling matches, football games, bare bail games, horse races and all kinds of athletic and acrobatic feats and neverneter a complaint. Still history records the instant death of players on football fields; arms and legs have broken at warmtling inclusive hear here there are not the provided of the coast of Lake Michigan inclusive hear here there are not the provided of the coast of Lake Michigan and Creedon will fight in Boston, it is said, inside of three weeks.

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#### DOWNED THE WIZARD. on Wins the First Game of the Boston Tournament.

Bosrox Feb 7 - Several hundred billlard devotees, including the mayor of the city, saw George F. Slosson defeat Jacob Schaeffer by a score of 600 to 247 tonight Schaeffer by a score of 600 to 247 tonight at the first of the tournament games to be played here by the three great billiard experts—Schaeffer, Ives and Siosson—for a stake of \$1,500. The game was a rather ordinary one and its feature was the careless playing of the wizard. His greatest rans were two of 25 points each. Slosson's work was careful but not brilliant. His biggest run was 22 points. John Murphy refereed the game. The game was fourteen-inch balk line, with anchor shots barred.

started in by making a common shot and slipping upon an easy one. The student was nervous and missed his first attempt. Schnefer then ran 8, getting this number by sheer luck. Slosson was still nervous, and missed again. The wizard then capand missed again. The wizard then cap-tured 8 more points by a series of brilliant plays, and then carelessly, slipped up. Slosson, although agi-tated and pale, managed to run 4. Schaffer made 7. The student then made a great series of gathers and rolled up 77 and then lost on an easy carom. The next feature was a run by Slosson of 92 and then lost on an easy carom. The next feature was a run by Slosson of 92 and Schaeffer got rattled and made nothing. Soon after the student made another good-sized run 80, and it was apparent the wizard

his opponent.
Schaeffer—1, 8, 7, 3, 3, 0, 2, 8, 23, 25, 16, 17, 23, 8, 25, 9, 9, 13, 12, 6, 1—247.
Slosson—0, 0, 4, 77, 4, 14, 31, 5, 92, 29, 80, 43, 60, 45, 24, 5, 14, 32, 50, 37, 2—600.

To Test the McHugh Law.

VALPARAISO, Ind., Feb. 7. — Edward Crumpacker, attorney for the Columbian Athletic club, this afternoon received a telegram from Martin Costello, stating that he was in Chicago, and was ready to appear before the Lake county circuit court for sentence. The case will be appealed to the supreme court, to test the McHugh law, under which the Columbian club was organized. If the supreme court reverse the decision of the circuit court, the Corbett-Jackson fight, it is predicted, will take place at Crown Point. dicted, will take place at Crown Point.

#### Valuable Horseflesh.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Feb. 7.—At the Woodward & Shanklin horse sale today Maxey 2:29/5, one of the best bred sons of the original Wilkes, brought \$4,092. Ike Leonard of Lexington was the purchaser.

#### The Day on the Turf.

HOT SPRINGS, Ark., Feb. 7.-First race Eleven-sixteenths of a mile: Jack Murray won; Honest Dollar, second; Speedaway,

won; Houest Postar, second; Speedaway, third. Time, 1:1514.
Second race—Nine-sixteenths of a mile: Jack Thomas won; Minnie Walker, second; Dick Tiger, third. Time, 1:00.
Third race—Five furlongs: Eunice won; Josephine, second; Kitty Cherry, third. Time, 1:0714.

Fourth race—One mile: Alongo won: lolonel Wheatly, second; Little George, hird. Time, 1524. Fifth race—Nine-sixteenths of a mile:

PLEASANT TO THE TASTE, pleasant in the taking, pleas-ant in their action—out un-rivaled in their results. That fairly describes Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. In every disorder of the liver, stemach, and bowels, they give a lasting cure. For Biliousness, Jaundice, Indigestion, Constipation, Diz-tiness, Sour Stomach, and Sick or Bilious Hendaches, they are the natural remedy.

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Any experimenting with Catarrh in the Head is dangerous. Serious troubles result from its being driven to the throat and lungs. Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy, by its mild, soothing, cleansing, and healing properties, completely and permanently cures the very worst cases. Its proprietors offer \$500 reported among the farmers of northwestern ward for any incurable case.

JACKSON IS READY Bangum won; Morrissey, second; Backwoods, third. Time, 1:01.
Sr. Louis, Feb. 7.—Results at Madison:
First race—Five furlougs: lanthe won:
Piccadilly, second; Pauline, third. Time,

Second race—Five and one-half furlongs:
Wandering Nun won: Acttojam, second;
Servitude, third. Time, 1:17.
Third race—Five and one-half furlongs:
Sligo won; Con Lucy, second; Montana
Belle, third. Time, 1:18.
Fourth race—Five furlongs: Censor won:
Bevis, second; Elmstone, third. Time,

Bevis, second; Etmstone, third. Time, 1:1014.
Fith race—Six furlongs: Bravourina won; McGinty, second; Extra, third. Time, 1:2415.
Sixth race—Seven- furlongs; Azrael won: Henry Jenkins, second; Fakir. third. Time, 1:2814.
New Orleans, Feb. 7.—First race—Six furlongs: Gleesome won; Mary B. M., second; Ovation, third. Time, 1:15.
Second—Five furlongs: Nettie Howard won; Minnehaha, second; Eva's Kid, third. Time, 1:0216.

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Third—Seven furlongs; Viola Belle won; Miss Knott, second; Shilob, third. Time, 1:28½.

Fourth—One mile: Marie Lovell won; Captain Hammer, second; Boro, third. Time, 1:41½.

Fifth—Mile and seventy yards: Duke of Mipitas won; Emma Mc, second; Mezzotin, third. Time, 1:40½.

Sixth—Three quarters of a mile; Baby Bill won; Eonnie Kate, second; Myrtllartha, third. Time, 1:16.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 7.—First—Five furlongs: Kelon won; Fisher, second: Duke Stevens, third. Time, 1:05.

Second—Five furlongs: Red Bird won: One Dime, second; Little Tough, third. Time, 1:96.

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Third—Six furlongs: Zoolein wou: Conde, second; Motto, third. Time, 1:16.
Fourth—Steeple chase: Ballarat won; Guadalupe, second; Hercules, third. Time,

2:02)4.
Fifth-Six furlongs: Nutwood won,
Nellie Van, second; Floodmore, third.

GENERAL SPORTING NOTES. Cash Henderson thinks that Corbett's constitution will break some day. He doesn't like the looks of Jim's sallow com-

Ed Smith writes to New York to say that he is a pugilist and not an actor. Dick Moore and Creedon will fight in Boston, it is said, inside of three weeks.

The latest proposition relating to the Corbett-Jackson fight is to construct an immense floating pavilion, which is to be anchored off the coast of Lake Michigan at a point where the militia could not interfere.

Many questions of interest to the trot-ting world will come up for discussion at the congress of the National and American Trotting associations, to be held in New York on Feb. 14.

Several racing organizations are bes tating about joining the National Jockey club, owing to the fact that they are kept so much in the dark as to what they are

James J. Corbett and Charley Mitchell, having settled their differences and become good friends, have generously volunteered to box four rounds at Grand Central Palace, New York, Monday night, Feb. 19, for charity's sake. It is intended to make this as nearly as possible an exact representation of the scene in the ring of the Duval Athletic club at Jacksonville on Jan. 25. Honest John Kelly, who was referee of the great international fight, has consented to act as master of ceremonies

been indicted by the federal grand jury for presenting a false pension claim, who is now 70 years old, made affidavit in 1891 at De Soto for a pension as a veteran of the Mexican war. Woods claims that he enlisted in 1846 in Rosn-oke bounty, Tennessee, in Company C, Fourth regiment Tennessee volunteer in-fantry, in place of his uncle, Isaac M. made nothing. Soon after the student made another good-sized trun 80, and it was apparent the wizard was defeated. In spite of his efforts and some brilliant work the bulls did not roll right, and Slosson was 3 2 points ahead of his opponent. ment claims that Burke came back from the furlough and served through the war; was discharged at Memphis, Tenn., and claimed county land, which at his death went to his heirs, and that the Fourth Tennessee regiment never participated in the battles named. Three messnates of Burke from Tennessee, all officers in the federal army during the cival war, are here to testify against Wood. One of them says that he knew Wood before the war and recognizes him now as Wood.

A CROOK IN CUSTODY.

DETROIT, Mich., Feb. 7.—Charles H. Price, alias John Porter, alias Prencie Taylor, alias Harrison, one of the most notorious and clever crooks in the country, notorious and clever crooks in the country, was arrested here today. Price is wanted by the St. Joseph (Mo.) authorities, who offer \$500 reward for his capture, for a train robbery committed near that place about six weeks ago. He is also wanted at Jackson, Mich., whence he escaped eighteen mouths ago, after serving two years of a five-year term for robbing mail boxes in Detroit in 1800. Price's capture was due to the cleverness of Atwood Steuon, clerk at the Griffin House, who knew him by sight and followed him after knew him by sight and followed him after | rive on Thursday.

## notifying the officers.

THE A. P. A. AGITATION. FORT WAYNE, Ind., Feb. 7 .- In the circuit court this morning Judge Edward O'Rourke overruled the demurrer to the complaint of the plaintiff in the case brought by Bishop Rademacher of this (Catholic) diocese against William P. Bidweil, proprietor of the American Eagle, for criminal libel, and entered judgment for \$500 against the defendant.

The American Eagle is an American Protective association paper, and the case had been brought for libeious words pub-lished in it concerning the Catholic lished in it concerning the Catholic orphan asylum in this city. The de-fendant will appeal to the supreme court.

"I'LL LIVE AS LONG AS I CAN," Is the burden of an old song. It you want to live as long as you can, counteract premature decay, if you are young or middeaged, or lessen the infirmities of life's deline if you are growing old, use Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, a genuine recuperator of vigor, and a heipful stay and solace to the oid, the weak and convalescent. Incom-parable in bilous, dyspeptic, rheumatic

and malarial complaints.

IRRIGATION SALINA, Kan., Feb. 7 .- J. L. Bristow. secretary of the Interstate Irrigation asso-ciation, left for Omaha today, to meet the board of trade of that city. This meeting

### ZELLA IN TROUBLE

WOMAN WHO BOTHERED GOULD FIGHTS A CONSTABLE

Officer Appears and Attempts to Take Charge of Her Wardrobe for an Unpaid Hotel Bill and a General Row Follows Between

All Hands Concerned. Zella Meeting With Sore Disgrace and Defeat - General Notes.

CHICAGO, Feb. 7.-Zella Nicolaus, who as become notorious through her alleged dealings with George Gould, had a lively time with a constable at the Victoria hotel today. Al Ruhman, who is said to be her husband, was also mixed up in the row. The last time Zella up in the row. The last time Zella and Mr. Rhuman were in Chicago they contracted a board bill at the Great Northern hatel amounting to \$67, for which Manager Eden was compelled to take a note, as they nad no money. Learning yesterday that they were again in the city, stopping at the Victoria hotel as Mr. and Mra. King of Cleveland, he promptly took out an attachments This morning when a constable appeared at their apartments, Ruhman said he would like to settle, but had only \$47 in cash. The constable threatened to carry off the ladles' wardrobe which lay exposed in the open trunks. Mrs. Ruhman protested vigorously and Mr. Ruhman intimated to the constable that he would be compelled to shoot him if the officer of the law did not make himself scarce. The constable reported the matter to the hotel people, who invited the guests to leave. The Ruhmans promptly sent their baggage down stairs, and the constable seized the higgest trunk. After another hot quarrel Zella paid over \$100 and without waiting for her change, ordered her trunk sent to the Lake Shore depot, saying that she was going to take the 4 o'clock train for New York.

WEATHER BULLETIN.

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WEATHER BUREAU. Forecast for Wichita and vicinity Continued warm and fair Thursday; fair

and probably cooler Friday.

During the past twenty-four hours the highest temperature has been 54; the lowest 33, and the mean 4s, with warmer partly cloudy weather, gentle south wind

and gentle pressure.

Thus far this month the average temperature has been 33. For the past five years the average temperature for the month of February has been 34, and for the 7th day 27.

FRED L. JOHNSON, Observer.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7 .- Following is the orecast up to 8 o'clock p. m., Thursday: For Kansas—Generally cloudy with raft outh to east winds.

For Oklahoma and Indian Territory-Generally cloudy with rain; colder Thursday night, variable winds,

THE HILLMON CASE. TOPEKA, Kan., Feb. 7.-The counsel for the insurance companies in the famous Hillmon case today claim to have unearthed the real facts in the strange disappearance of John M. Hillmon. They say that Hillmon died subsequent to the tria James J. Corbett and Charley Mitchell, having settled their differences and become good friends, have generously volunted to make the time of his death was not known as John M. Hillmon. They claim that all the time of his death was not known as John M. Hillmon. They claim that all the time of his death was not known as John M. Hillmon. They claim that all the concentration of the scene in the ring of the case adopted and confirm the confirmation of the scene in the ring of the case adopted and confirm the confirmation of the scene in the ring of the fore adopted and confirm the confirmation of the scene in the ring of the sent to not a form adopted and confirmation of the scene in the ring of the case in 1888. Hillmon, they hold, did not die in the United States, and at the time of his death was not known as John M. Hillmon. They claim that all the time of his death was not known as John M. Hillmon and confirmation of the scene in the ring of the circumstances of the new story will sustain the line of defense heretone sentation of the scene in the ring of the circumstances of the new story will sustain the line of defense heretone sentation of the scene in the ring of the circumstances of the new story will sustain the line of defense heretone sentation of the scene in the ring of the come good friends, have generously volunt that the blew open the safe with dynamite and got away with \$1,200 in gold and \$300 in slive with \$1,200 in gold and \$300 in part the time of his death was not known as the time of his death was not known as the time of his death was not known as the time of his death was not known as the time of his death was not head the time of his death was not known as the time of his death was not known as the time of his death was not known as the time of his death was not known as the time of his death was not known as the time of his death was not known as the time of his death was not known as the time of his death was not known as the time of his death was not known as the time of his death was of the case in 1888. Hillmon, they hold,

ANOTHER WORLD'S FAIR FIRE. CHICAGO, Feb. 7.-The agricultural building at the fair grounds was slightly damaged by fire this afternoon. The fire was aged by hre this atternoon. The hre was discovered in the southeast corner inside the building, but was extinguished before it did much damage. After the fire was out a section of glass about 100 feet long fell from the roof, narrowly missing a number of fireman who were passing underneath. There were only about three carloads of exhibits in the building, and they were at no time in danger. The fire they were at no time in danger. The fire is believed to have been of incendiary origin, as earlier in the day a blaze was discovered in a pile of rubbish close to the

The first fire was promptly extinguished without damage. The second fire started in a portion of the building where it could not possibly have originated without human agency. The buildings are very lightly guarded now, there being only three men allowed to the agricultural building.

NEEL V'S APPOINTMENTS TOPEKA, Kan., Feb. 7.-United States Marshal Neely says he has finished the appointment of deputies for the present, as the business in the United State as the business in the United States court will not warrant the usual number of assistants while Judge Foster's illness continues and the court has to depend upon judges from other districts. He will retain Leon Debost as chief deputy in Topeka, and has appointed George W. Esp of Grant county as deputy at Wiehita, and James Gray as deputy at Leavenworth. He will also appoint a deputy at Fort Soot, but has not yet decided upon the man. Judge Riner, who is to hold court here this month, will probable arrive on Thursday.

FINANCIALLY EMBARRASSED.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 7.—Scotchter & Glbbs, commission merchants of this city, are financially embarrassed, and have turned their business over in trust to Byron E. Stone of the firm of Field & Stone, also commission merchants. The firm's liabilities are estimated at \$300,000, with assets said to be considerably above

SILVER STATE SOLONS.

DENVER, Feb. 7 .- In spite of the dilatory tactics of the minority, the senate ma-jority, which is still working for an early adjournment of the extra session, today killed over a dozen of the bills passed by the house.

The house today passed the bills for the construction of state canals.

Hood's Sarsaparilla is absolutely un-equalled as a blood purifier and strengthening medicine.

"Eureka!" shouted the young inven-

er. "I have got it at last. "Got what?" asked his friend. "The invention of the age; a founlain pen that will not write at all." "What in the name of commo

"It's the certainty of the thing that will make it a success. Most of these fountain pens are so uncertain-liable lo write, or not write, as the mood takes them. As this one will not write at all the owner will know right where he is at see?"-Indianapolis

LEASE VS. LEWELLING.

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TOPEKA, Kan., Feb. 7.—The case of Mary E. Lease, wherein the right of Governor Lewelling to remove her as a member of the state board of charities is questioned, was submitted to the supreme court today, and taken under advisement.

The defense claimed that the petition of the plaintiff did not allege facts sufficient to constitute a cause of action; that there was no vacancy at the time of Mrs. Lease's appointment by the governor. Mr. Hagan, for Mrs. Lease, argued that the petition was sufficient, and that the court should take judicial notice of the senate journal and other public records relative to the appointment. Less than an hour was consumed in the argument, and the court took the case under advisement.

#### ELECTRIC BRIEFS

W. A. Ryan, the Van Horne (Ia.) post-master, who committed sulcide on Mon-day, was a defaulter to the amount of \$900. He leaves a wife and eight children,

Dr. J. C. Armentrout, professor of physiology in the Keokuk (ls.) medical college, died yesterdsy from au overdose of chloral. Yesterday's session of city evangeliza-tion conference at St. Louis was occupied with the reading of papers and discus-

At Rich Hill, Mo., the house of a man named Carson was burned at an early hour yesterday morning, and his son Charley Carson, aged 9 years, was cre-

A free eating house, maintained by pri-rate citizens, was opened at Atchison yes-erday to relieve the destitution that

The house committee on elections yes-terday decided, by a strict party vote, against the title of Mr. Hillborn (Republi-can) of California to the seat contested by Mr. English (Democrat).

Revenue officers arrived at Fort Smith, Ark., yesterday with fifteen moonshiners, captured in the mountains of Polk county. Ten illicit stills were destroyed, but the gang is by no means broken up, many more members still being at large. The coal miners at Bevier, Mo., have The coal miners at Bevier, Mo., have finally agreed to accept the operators' new ruling in regard to extracting coal by cutting instead of shooting solid. The cutting method requires expert miners, and the shooters will have to go. This will insure a better quality of coal from Bevier and regular employment to skilled men.

The board of county commissioners of Reno county, Kan., have compromised with the Santa Fe Railway company on its taxes, accepting \$21,632.07 in full payment for the taxes of 1893, thereby rebating the Santa Fe \$4,800. A protest was filed by the county attorney, who claims that the board is unauthorized to make

There was inaugurated in Chicago on There was inaugurated in Chicago on Tuesday an underground pneumatic tube system for the transmission of "copy" and telegrams to newspapers from the telegraph offices and news agencies. The system will also be used for the transmission of telegrams from hotels and local city office to the main offices. The district messenger companies will also use the system.

In accordance with the program out-lined at a meeting of the Harrison Tele-phone company in Chicago on Tuesday, it has organized a local company in St. Joseph, Mo., and will put in a complete telephone system there. The company has been granted a franchise by the city council. Connection will be established with similar systems which will be or ganized in neighborhood towns.

In connection with the famous Hillman Insurance case, to come up again in the United States court at Topeka, Kan., in April, the attorneys for the Life Insurance companies now claim that, while Hillman was alive up to the last trial, they have secured evidence that he has since died in a foreign country. a foreign country.

Burglars entered the Despler (O.) bank Burgiars entered the Despier (0.) bank off Tuesday night, broke open the vault, blew open the safe with dynamite and got away with \$1,200 in gold and \$300 in silver. The explosion tore \$500 in paper money into fragments. Besides this they obtained \$1,000 in stamps and cash belonging to the Despier post office.

The statement of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe railroad for the six months ending December 31 shows gross earnings of \$19.522,504, a decrease of \$2,305,360; net, \$0.947,147, a decrease of \$756 667; surplus, \$1,295,147, a decrease of \$894,667.

A fire yesterday morning destroyed the greater portion of the business houses of Montgomery, Mo. Seventeen stores and office buildings were burned. The loss is \$130,000, with an insurance of \$65,000. Several cases of black smallpox have seen discovered at Vera Cruz, Mex., and been discovered at vera Cruz, Mex., and are causing considerable alarm. It has been but a few years since many of the Mexican towns along the Pacific coast were almost depopulated by the disease, 50,000 persons becoming its victims. Prompt measures are being taken for its suppression at Vera Cruz.

The St. Louis and San Francisco railway report for the six months ending December 31 shows gross earnings of \$4,240,061, a de-crease of \$851,302; not earnings of \$1,457,-853, a decrease of \$552,847; deficit, \$32,147, against a surplus of \$300,699 in 1892,

Mrs. Elizabeth Bryan and Mrs. Mary Jane Fowler, with the former's 16-year-old son, John, were arrested last night at Santa Rosa, Cal, charged with the murder, on Jan. 22, of the women's blind sister, Mrs. Nancy Meagher.



#### KNOWLEDGE

Brings comfort and improvement and tends to personal enjoyment when rightly used. The many, who live bet-ter than others and enjoy life more, with less expenditure, by more promptly adapting the world's best products to the needs of physical being, will attest the value to health of the pure liquid laxative principles embraced in the remedy, Syrur of Figs.

Its excellence is due to its presenting in the form most

in the form most acceptable and plea-ant to the taste, the 1 freshing and truly beneficial properties of a perfect lax-ative: effectually cleansing the system, dispelling colds, headaches and fevers and permanently curing constipation. It has given satisfaction to millions and met with the approval of the medical profession, because it acts on the Kidneys, Liver and Bowels without weak-

ening them and it is perfectly free from every objectionable substance. Syrup of Figs is for sale by all drug-glets in 50c and \$1 bottles, but it is manfactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only, whose name is printed on e package, also the name, Syrup of Figs, and being well informed, you will not accept any substitute if offered.

### IT IS STAGNANT

ABSOLUTE DEARTH OF ORDERS IN NEW YORK STOOKS

However the Market is Rendered Stable by a Short Interest Which is More Disposed to Cover Than to Extend Its Lines, and the Pressure to Sell is Not Heavy. Stock, Bond and Money Quo-

tations.

New York, Feb. 7.—Share speculation on the Stock exchange was stagnant during the greater part of the day, the dealings being in the hands of the board traders, who are not inclined to operate very heavily on either side of the market at this juncture. Commission houses report an absolute dearth of orders, and the London houses added very little to the transactions. Fortunately for the stability of values, there is quite a large short interest in the market, which is more disposed to cover than to extend its lines, and consequently the pressure to sell is not heavy, and were it not for the industrials, the dealings would have been very small indeed today.

Of the industrials, Sugar was the most active, selling up 1% per cent in the earlier dealings. The buying was for a pool, which later in the day retired as purchasers, where upon the price sagged off ¼ per cent, leaving a gain of % per cent. Distilling made an advance of ¾ per cent on the day, the close being ¼ per cent below the highest point touched. The buying was on orders from Washington and the west

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St. Paul was second on the list of transactions but fluctuated within 1 per cent, advancing % per cent early and dropping 1 per
cent in the later trading, closing at the lowest
point. The question of the next dividend is
being again discussed, the Burlington dividend also being considered in doubt. A Boston dispatch to a local financial agency asserted that the directors of the last-named
company would meet in Boston next week,
and declare the usual dividend of 1½ per cent.
Enritherion lost % per cent on the day. West-Burlington lost % per cent on the day. West-ern Union was well held until after delivery hour, when a drive was made on the stock, hour, when a drive was made of the stock, based on the report that the statement of the company for the quarter ending March 31 will show a material decrease in earnings. An early advance had been scored, from which a drop of 2% per cent was made, with only a recovery of 1% per cent at the close.

The general market was fairly firm throughout the morning and during the first part of the afternoon, but during the last three quarters of an hour was quite heavy and

osed weak. A strong tone characterized the dealings in A strong tone characterized the deal, when a reaction took piace, but in the final stage the market became firm again.

#### SILVER DEPRESSED.

NEW YORK. Feb. 7-The Evening Post's NEW YORK, Feb. 7:—The Evening Post's special financial cablegram from London says: "The fall of silver rupee paper and Indian exchange monopolizes attention in financial circles here. The India council sold today eight lacs of rupees in telegraphic transfers at 14 1-32 pence. This indicates that the council will allot practically at any rate the market tenders. Silver was quoted at 29 13-16 pence, and the forward quotation was only 29% pence. There is an utterly despondent feeling in the silver market, but it is not thought that the India mines will reopen. ught that the India mines will reopen.

"The stock markets were idle today.

"The board of trade returns, just issued show little sign of the depressed movement in trade. There are indications, nevertheless, of a revival in the near future.

#### CLOSING BOND LIST.

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	New YORK, Feb. 7.—Government bonds steady; state bonds dull.
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Money on Call.

NEW YORK, Feb. 7.—Money on call, easy at 1 per cent, last loan 1 per cent, closed at 1 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 29,359 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 29,359 per cent. Sterling exchange dull, with actual business in bankers talls at \$1,855,48 7 for demand hills \$1,845,48 7 for starty-day fillier posted rates, \$4 feat 96. Commercial bills \$159,48 54. Silver certificus to 62,950,50c. The total sales of stocks today were 19,950 shares, including American Super 20,950. Berlington 1900, Chicago seas 1000, Election 1900. Sterington 1900, St. Paul 18,500, silver certificates 20,000. Supers. Termessee Coal and 1900 200. Western Union 12,000.

# Policemen Eat



He is one of the Finest, and his food is the finest. He eats Quaker Oats.

Quaker Oats. Packages.

CHICAGO, Feb. 7.—Clearings, \$12,277,000.
New York exchange sold at Mc premium.
Sterling exchange was dull: interest rates at
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fast per cent on time.

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Kansas City, Feb. 7.—Clearings \$1.531,130.

MEMPHIS, Feb. 7.—Clearings, \$247,346; bal ances, \$39,801. New York exchange par.

NEW YORK, Feb. 7.—Clearings, \$53,712,726; balances, \$6,932,346.

Boston, Feb. 7.—Clearings, \$14,301,291; balances, \$1,692,345. When the seven-hundred-ton Austrian bark Vila was picked up at sea by the Norwegian fruit steamer Breidablik and brought to New York a couple of months ago much curiosity was expressed as to what could have nees, \$1,00.50.
PHILADELPRIA, Feb. 7.—Clearings, \$9,004,251;
maintes, \$1,575,461.
BAILTMORE, Feb. 7.—Clearings, \$1,807,621;
mainnes, \$19,669. caused her crew to desert her. With the exception of being partially dis-masted, it was in perfect condition, says the New York Tribune, and the

SUED FOR DAMAGES. DENVER, Feb. 7.—A special to the Resuit was begun today by Mrs. Della Hersh-field against Louis H. Hershfield, the from Egypt with a cargo chiefly made up of old bones, and no word was heard banker, and his wife for \$75,000 damages of it until it was picked up off Hatterns by the Breidablik. All the bark's for alienating the affections of her hus-band, Aaron Hershfield, to whom she was band, Aaron Hershfield, to whom she was married in November. The marriage was bitterly opposed by the relatives, whom the bride now accuses of having induced her bu-shand to desert her. He is now in New York. Aaron Hershfield is the cashier and a heavy stockholder of the Merchants' National bank, and is reported to be worth half of a million dollars.

EXPERIENCE OF AN EX-CHAMPION Athletes and men who take ordinary outdoor exercise such as walking, running, bicycle riding, jumping, swimming, ten-nis, etc., are often the subjects of acute

nis, etc., are often the subjects of acute troubles. The experience of an ex-champion walker will be of interest to all who are afflicted. HARRY BROOKS writes:

"No. 324 East 19th St., New York.]
April 2, 1886.

"Numerous statements relative to the merits of different plasters having been brought to my attention. I take this opportunity to state that I have used ALLCOCK'S PORUS PLASTERS for over 20 years and prefer them to any other kind. I would further gore state that I was very sick with catarrh of the kidneys, and attribute my recovery entirely to ALLCOCK'S PORUS PLASTERS."

BONACUM AND CORBETT.

LINCOLN, Neb., Feb. 7 .- In the hearing of Bishop Bonacum, on the charge of criminal libel, the forenoon was taken up in further arguments as to the introduc in further arguments as to the introduction of testimony. Father Phelan of St.
Louis again paid his respects to the bishop,
accusing him of traducing the church by
his impolitic actions and his malicious
prosecution of the priests of his diocese.
In the afternoon Father Martin J. Corbett was placed on the stand. He is the
complaining witness in the case. He gave
the particulars of the difficulty between
himself and the bishop.
The case went over until tomorrow.

DO YOU USE Evaporated cream or unsweatened Con-densed Milk, and desire the best? Then obtain from your grocer Borden's Peerless Brand Evaporated Cream, which ranks first in quality. Prepared by New York Condensed Milk company.

#### THE YIDDISH DIALECT.

A Corruption of Hebrew That Exists Every Community Where Jows Live. Yiddish will defy the definition of the smartest lexicographer, for not any one of these could state in a few words what constitutes the dislect, which is nevertheless perfectly clear to every Jew. It evades definition because of its mixed nature, and because it is a different thing according to the latitude and longitude it inhabite. The Yiddish of Poland and Germany is very different from that of the cast end of London, though the latter is based in a very large measure on the

In other words, says the Jewish Chronicle, it is influenced by its environments, an expression of which the evolutionists are so fond. The basis of Hebrew words, with their ancient encrustrations of who knows what which have clung to them in their wanderings through all elimes and through the centuries, still goes on gathering new influences day by day as it needs them, and so Yiddish is like all other languages, an ever-shifting element, only perhaps more so. But all this we have known for a long

It is perhaps not so generally known, however, that this same Yiddish in its turn exercises a consider able influence over its neighbors and flowers the language of the Gentiles among whom it dwells by many a telllug and significant word and phrase.

Perhaps so "What is your philosophy in regard to lending money?" "My opinion is that the man who lends grudgingly is the man who lends

most generously-for he is the man

who never expects to get his money back "-Truth Buys the Best. "Don't you think Lella's complexion is lovely?" said one dear girl to an-

"Yes; that's one thing that I admire about her. She always buys the best in the market."-Washington Star.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

J. POWDER

ABSOLUTELY PURE - JUST TRY IT.

through the tropics caused them to breed in enormous numbers and forced them on deck. It is possible that the crew of the Vila was driven from it be similar cause and met a worse fate.

NO SOFT-HEARTED GOVERNORS.

HORRIBLE CARGOES.

Life on Bone-Laden Shine Rendered Al-

ose of its masts might have occurred

after the crew left it. It had sailed

papers and every scrap of food had been taken from it and the fate of its

crew was a mystery. The experience of the three-masted schooner Wallace J. Boyd, which recently arrived at

Philadelphia from Montevideo with a

similar cargo of old bones may afford an explanation of the mystery sur-

rounding the Vila. The crew of the

Boyd say that nothing could ever in-

duce them to ship again on a bone-laden vessel. Within a few days after

leaving port the vessel became infested

with scorplons and other pestiferous bugs, which came out of the cargo and

penetrated every nook and corner of the craft. The men were driven from

their bunks in the forecastle and every

effort to rid the schooner of the

plague was unavailing. Five or six

times a day all hands were compelled

to strip, bathe and change their cloth-

ing, but the smaller insects held on in

spite of all this. On a day which was

damp and warm the torment was ag

gravated by the appearance of large green bugs, which swarmed over every-

thing and continued their ravages

until port was reached. It is believed

bones when they were gathered on the

Argentine plains, and the excessive heat of the hold during the voyage

that the creatures were

and Dispatch. Capt. John Windrow, an old saflor or the Pacific, tells this to the Tacoma Ledger: "While I was in Shanghal along in 1858 or '50, the ruler of the city equipped two steam gunboats for the suppression of the piratical traffic. One of these he put in command of an American. The boats had been out on s oruise for several days, and early one afternoon they returned towing thirteen piratical junks which had been captured. I went aboard to see the pfisoners the boats had brought in. An iron rail led around the gunwale of each of the boats, to which were shackled two hundred of the most villainous-looking Chinese I had ever seen. Justice to such flendish wretche was swift in China in those days, and the next morning they were led out for execution. In spite of the horror of this wholesale beheading the execution had a streak of the comic in it. Two Chinese assistants of the executioner carried a large bamboo pole. The condemned Chinese were in a kneeling posture and the assistants would clutch a Chinaman's queue and take a half-hitch around the bamboo pole. Then, each putting the pole on his shoulder, they both would suddenly rise up, stretching his neck away from the prisoner's shoulders. The execu-

heads were hung on the walls outside the city gates." Should Learn Not to Learn Noall-I don't believe that girl will ver learn to walts.

Saymuch-Worse than that-she will

tioner stood ready with a drawn sword

and lopped off their heads with as much indifference as a farmer would

have about cutting cornetalies. Little baskets were ready, into which a head

was placed, and in this manner the

ever learn not to attempt it -- Vogue. Mr. Thomkins (to wife of his bosom) After all, my dear, woman was an after thought. You remember Eve

naly a side issue.-Judge.